

COMPARATIVE

UNDER MR. GALT'S PROPOSAL

THE UNITED STATES' TARIFF, AND A CANADIAN

VALUE OF IMPORTS ESTIMATED ON
Being the Year which Mr. Galt

CLASS.	VALUE OF DUTIABLE IMPORTS.			MR. GALT'S RATE AND AMOUNT OF DUTY.			RATES AND AMOUNT UNDER		
1	Brandy, Spirits, &c.	£31,304	0	0	50 per cent...	£15,652	0	0	30 per cent.
2	Refined Sugar.	46,688	0	0	40 per cent...	18,672	0	0	24 per cent.
3	Raw Sugar and Molasses	593,720	0	0	30 per cent...	178,116	0	0	24 per cent. *
4	Tea and Coffee.	379,240	0	0	20 per cent...	75,848	0	0	Free,
5	Wines, Spices, Fruit, &c.	187,870	0	0	30 per cent...	56,361	0	0	Average say 30 per cent.
6	Leather Manufactures, Soap and Starch.	167,740	0	0	25 per cent...	41,935	0	0	" " 24 per cent
7	Printing Paper.	22,920	0	0	15 per cent...	3,303	0	0	24 per cent.
8	Sundries.	794,000	0	0	10 per cent...	79,400	0	0	20 per cent.
9	Dry Goods, &c.	4,560,006	0	0	20 per cent...	912,001	0	0	Average say 25 per cent.
10	Whiskey,	34,572	0	0	18 c'ts per gal	14,110	0	0	£1
		£6,818,060	0	0		£1,395,398	0	0	

* This high duty is in consequence of the U. S.

N. B.—The Duty levied under Mr. Galt's Tariff, on Sugar, Molasses, Tea and Coffee, is £272,686, as above to the U. S. Customs Duties," viz. 138,654. The idea under this latter Tariff is to give all the encouragement

Since the above figures were in type, Mr. Galt has so far yielded in his views as to raise Spirits from 50 to which it is not worth while to alter them.

ATIVE REVENUE

PROPOSED TARIFF FOR 1859,

CANADIAN TARIFF APPROXIMATED TO THAT OF U. S.

ATED ON QUANTITIES IMPORTED IN 1857,

ich Mr. Galt takes for his calculations.

AND AMOUNT UNDER U. S. TARIFF.				A CANADIAN TARIFF, APPROXIMATED TO THAT OF U. S.				CLAUSE
.....	£9,391	0	0	On Spirits,	£80,136	0	0	1—
.....	11,205	0	0	25 per cent.	11,672	0	0	2
*	142,493	0	0	15 per cent. *	89,058	0	0	3
.....				10 per cent.	37,924	0	0	4
50 per cent.	56,361	0	0	Same as United States, ..	56,361	0	0	5—
24 per cent	40,257	0	0	“ “ “ “	40,257	0	0	6—
.....	5,496	0	0	15 per cent. *	3,303	0	0	7
.....	158,800	0	0	10 per cent. *	79,400	0	0	8—
25 per cent.	1,140,001	0	0	Same as in U. S.	1,140,000	0	0	9
	£1,564,004	0	0		£1,538,111	0	0	

Being Mr. Galt's £15,652 on Brandy, &c., and £14,110 on Whiskey, and £30,374, which is the additional duty levied on Spirits and Wines by Mr. Cayley's Tariff, on an average of four years, 1854 to 1857.

[now.]

Except where the duty is more

Ditto.

Except Jewellery, Watches and certain manufactures which should be in the 20 per cent. list; while Bar Iron and other raw materials should be at 5 per cent.

n consequence of the U. S. themselves growing sugar.

* There is no harm in having these less than charged in U. S., as they are not articles we will export from Canada.

† There might be £228,000 reduced from this, thus making the Dry Goods 50 per cent., as in Mr. Galt's Tariff. The difference (to make this Tariff even then produce as much as Mr. Galt's Tariff) could be easily made up by retaining the 5 per cent., which Mr. Galt takes off clothing, and putting the same on other articles, in which this would give an increase of home employment.

272,686, as above, being about a hundred per cent. over that which is levied on them under “ the Tariff approximated
the encouragement, under Mr. Cayley's Tariff, to Canadian industry, and no more.

Spirits from 50 to 100 per cent., which, however, would only make a difference of £15,652 on these Tables, and for